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I am concerned about the practice of animal and poultry growers to add antibiotics that are used to treat we humans to the feed given the animals and poultry. Why is this practice allowed??

Last February my husband was in the hospital with pneumonia (he had the pneumonia shot 3 months before) and it seemed to take all the ingenuity of the doctor and nurses to get the right mix of antibiotics to get him well.

res, and as a person who has liked to cook I find meat cooking not very satisfying as the flavor just isn't there. I have to doctor it up with aditives to get any flavor. I grew up on a farm where all the meat and poultry was grown there so I know what good meat tastes like.

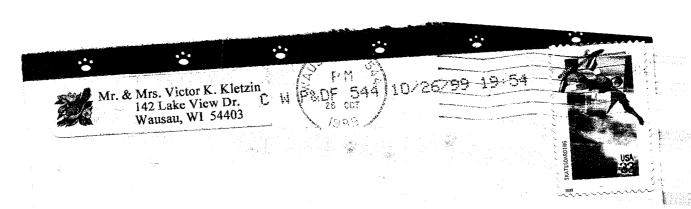
MONEY AND GREED ARE THE CATCH WORDS OF THIS ERA IN OUR NATION. Shame on us.

Sincerely,

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